



**CITY OF LOS ALTOS
CITY COUNCIL MEETING
May 12, 2015**

CONSENT CALENDAR

Agenda Item # 3

SUBJECT: Authorize the City Manager to execute a law enforcement services and indemnity agreement between the City of Los Altos, Santa Clara Stadium Authority and City of Santa Clara for law enforcement services provided during Super Bowl 50

BACKGROUND

Super Bowl 50 is scheduled to be held at Levi's Stadium in the City of Santa Clara on February 7, 2016. The City of Santa Clara and Santa Clara Stadium Authority (Authority) are desirous of contracting with the City of Los Altos, as well as other jurisdictions in the Bay Area, for the performance of certain additional, supplemental law enforcement functions for the Super Bowl and related events.

EXISTING POLICY

The City is indemnified by an agreement with the Authority and City of Santa Clara allowing Los Altos Police Officers to work off-duty at Levi's Stadium as part of a "Double Badging" program.

PREVIOUS COUNCIL CONSIDERATION

December 10, 2013 ("Double Badging" agreement)

DISCUSSION

Super Bowl 50 will be a significant event for the entire Bay Area region. Activities taking place at the Stadium site and surrounding areas will need a substantial law enforcement presence to ensure public safety. As such, under the proposed agreement, the City of Santa Clara and Authority are requesting additional law enforcement personnel from other agencies to assist with staffing Super Bowl events.

Los Altos Officers working as part of this planned mutual aid agreement will be considered on-duty, wearing their regular department uniform, using their department issued safety equipment and may be driving department vehicles. For, and in consideration of the City of Los Altos providing supplementary law enforcement services, the Authority agrees to reimburse all costs associated in the compensation of employees, the administration of workers' compensation benefits, and any overhead attributable to providing the services identified in the agreement.

The terms of the agreement also cover the services to be provided, administration of personnel, payment procedures and a hold harmless/indemnification declaration. The City Attorney was actively involved in the review and approval of the agreement.

Officers assigned to work events covered by the agreement will not impact existing staffing levels for the City. The current level of service to the Los Altos community will be maintained throughout the duration of the agreement. Additionally, personnel will not be allowed to work more than 16 consecutive hours and must have at least an eight-hour rest period between assignments/shifts. Officers will be closely monitored to ensure they are not fatigued for their normal duties.

PUBLIC CONTACT

Posting of the meeting agenda serves as notice to the general public.

FISCAL/RESOURCE IMPACT

Services provided under the agreement will not have a fiscal or resource impact on the City of Los Altos. All City of Los Altos costs associated with the agreement will be reimbursed by the Authority.

ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW

Not applicable

RECOMMENDATION

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ALTERNATIVES

No viable alternatives have been identified for this regional event.

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ATTACHMENT: None